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REGIONAL TARGETS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

The California Air Resources Board's (ARB) Regional Targets Advisory Committee (RTAC) will hold a public meeting on May 5, 2009. At this meeting, the RTAC will continue work on developing recommendations related to ARB's establishment of regional targets for the purpose of reducing greenhouse gases from passenger vehicles. The draft meeting agenda can be accessed here:

<http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/sb375/rtac/meetings/meetings.htm>

Date/Time

May 5, 2009
9:00 a.m. –
1:00 p.m.

Public Workshop Location

Cal/EPA Headquarters Building
Sierra Hearing Room (second floor)
1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Directions:

<http://www.calepa.ca.gov/EPABldg/location.htm>

Webcast:

<http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/sb375/rtac/meetings/meetings.htm>

Background. Senate Bill 375 (SB 375), signed by the Governor last year requires the California Air Resources Board (ARB) to set regional targets for the purpose of reducing greenhouse gas emissions from passenger vehicles, for 2020 and 2035. On January 23, 2009, ARB appointed members to the RTAC created by the bill. RTAC is required to recommend factors to be considered and methodologies to be used for setting regional greenhouse gas reduction targets. The committee's recommendations are due to ARB by no later than September 30, 2009.

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The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov>.

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For any questions regarding this meeting, please contact Lezlie Kimura of the State Implementation Plan and Local Government Strategies Section, at lkimura@arb.ca.gov or call (916) 322-1504.

Meetings of this Committee are subject to the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act and will include opportunities for public testimony.

Sincerely,

/s/

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